

# Queensland Independent Education Union of Employees

The Queensland Industrial Registrar has issued a Decision, pursuant to the *Industrial Relations Act 2016*, that the Electoral Commission of Queensland conduct the Quadrennial Election of Branch Executive, Council, Trustees and Executive within the Queensland Independent Education Union of Employees.

Office	No. of Positions
General Member of Council.....	14
Branch Representative Member of Council.....	1*
Branch Network Co-ordinator.....	1*
Branch Organising/Campaigning Co-ordinator.....	1*
Trustee.....	3

*\*from each of the following Branches:*

*Bayside, Central Queensland, Darling Downs, Early Childhood, Far North Queensland, Gold Coast, Logan, Mackay, Metropolitan, Moreton, North Metropolitan, North Queensland, Principals, Sunshine Coast, Wide Bay*

## Nominations close at 5:00pm on Friday, 31 July 2020

### Nominations

Nominations open at **9:00am on Friday, 10 July 2020**. All nominations must **reach the Electoral Commission of Queensland (ECQ) no later than 5:00pm on Friday, 31 July 2020**. A nomination form is printed with this notice. Additional forms can be obtained either from the Union or the Electoral Commission of Queensland. They may also be found on the Commission's website; [www.ecq.qld.gov.au](http://www.ecq.qld.gov.au).

To be eligible to nominate, candidates must be financial members of the Union for at least twelve (12) months immediately preceding the closing date of nominations.

Nominations for General Member of Council and Trustee shall be signed by two (2) financial members of the Union and by the candidate.

Nominations for Branch positions shall be signed by two (2) financial members of the relevant Branch and by the candidate who shall also be a member of the relevant Branch.

Nominations may be received by hand delivery, post, fax or email that includes the signatures of the nominees and nominators. Nominees should ensure that their nomination is received by the Commission and can be clearly read.

### Candidate Statements

Candidates may lodge a statement (on a single A4 sheet of plain paper) supporting their election to the position sought. These statements are included with eligible voters' ballot material. Statements **must be received by the Commission no later than the close of nominations**.

### Ballot

If necessary, the ECQ will take a secret postal ballot of eligible members commencing at 9:00am on Tuesday, 1 September 2020 and closing at midday Wednesday, 30 September 2020. To be eligible to vote, members must be a financial member forty (40) days before the date nominations open.

The positions of General Member of Council and Trustee are to be elected by eligible members of the Union. Branch positions are to be elected by eligible members of the relevant Branch. Members should advise the Union of any change relating to their membership details.

The Roll of Voters is prepared at the close of nominations. Ballots are decided by a first-past-the-post system of voting.

**Note:** Executive positions are elected from the members of Council. Nominations for those positions will open after the election, for the positions listed above, has been finalised.

Elizabeth Bannell  
Returning Officer

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# Queensland Independent Education Union of Employees Nomination Form

**Nominations close at 5:00pm on Friday, 31 July 2020**

We the undersigned financial members of the Queensland Independent Education Union of Employees, from \_\_\_\_\_ Branch, hereby nominate:

**Member No.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Mr/Mrs/Ms/Other** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print the full name of the person you are nominating)

for the position of - **(Tick the box to indicate the position of the office the nominee is standing for)**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>General Member of Council</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Branch Representative Member of Council</b>    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Trustee</b>                   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Branch Network Co-ordinator</b>                |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Branch Organising/Campaigning Co-ordinator</b> |

<b>Membership No.</b>	<b>Full Name</b>	<b>Signature</b>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

## Consent to Nomination (Candidate to complete)

And I, \_\_\_\_\_ a financial member of the Queensland  
(Print your name as you would like it to appear on the ballot paper)

Independent Education Union of Employees from \_\_\_\_\_ Branch,  
do hereby agree to be nominated and to act if elected.

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone (mobile)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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